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## Attorneys In Will Case Seek to Prove Recluse Incompetent

Attorneys for contestants to the will of the late Margaret A. Keith, recluse who maintained expensive homes in Beverly Hills and Palos Verdes and lived a strange life within their walls, have gone to a physician, a dentist and a nurse for depositions to try and prove the self-slain

woman was incapable of making her own will. This was noted today in probate court where the depositions are on file, to be taken to court when a jury trial of the contest is to open Friday.

Clemence Brown has been appointed as a special commissioner to hear the trial of the contest to the \$337,000 estate, with consent of Superior Judge Charles S. Crall of probate court.

Deposition of Dr. Morris J. Groper relates to Miss Keith's visit to Dante Sanatorium in San Francisco last February 27, some weeks before she inhaled chloroform in fatal quantities at her Beverly Hills home. Dr. Groper, pressed

by attorneys for Mary Allen Towle, Etta Keith Eskridge and David Keith, said that Miss Keith told him she had suffered severe headaches for two years. Finally induced to relate her life history, Dr. Groper stated that Miss Keith told him she had lived alone since coming to Beverly Hills seven years ago, "except for one man with whom she got in communication by notes or by telephoning." Dr. Groper advised her, among other things, to have two ulcerated teeth extracted.

Willena Trowbridge, nurse who attended Miss Keith at the sanatorium, testified that Miss Keith read unceasingly, one of her volumes being, "Devils, Drugs and Doctors."

Dr. Kenneth I. Nesbitt, dentist, told of Miss Keith's visit to his office and extraction of two ulcerated teeth, that she willingly submitted to an anaesthetic, and ordered two new sets of plates, for which he billed her \$645. Dr. Groper testified he charged her \$1000 for telling her what in his estimation was her ailment.

At the end of each deposition, Attorney A. Brigham Rose asked a theoretical question: "Would you consider that a woman who lived in a home with a dozen bedrooms, all elaborately furnished, yet slept in a hallway; a woman who surrounded herself with servants who were not permitted to look at her or speak to her upon pain of immediate discharge; a woman who bought 100 pounds of bird seed a week for her two canaries; who kept the windows of her home darkened with bed sheets; who would not sit beside her sister and who would not talk to other persons in the same room but would write them notes instead; who insisted upon having a cat taste all food before she ate of it; would you consider that such a woman was sane?"

Also on file is an affidavit by George Konagamis, a gardener, stating that upon one occasion Mary Allen Towle came to the premises "with a man with a badge," demanded entrance and then without waiting for the caretaker to obtain permission unlocked the gate with their own key and forced entrance to the "house of mystery" where they remained for some time. All furniture in the woman's two homes has been placed in storage.

### Kiwanis Club Hears Talk On Television

Leroy J. Leshman of Los Angeles, gave a very interesting talk on television before the Torrance Kiwanis Club Monday night, which, according to members, was the best entertainment the club has had in some time.

Mr. Leshman developed the first system used commercially in transmitting pictures electrically, the first successful system for cabling pictures across the Atlantic, and has been responsible for a great part of the work of developing television to its present degree of effectiveness.

Contrary to the general belief, Mr. Leshman said, it is now impossible to combine television with the ordinary radio set. Two distinct sets are necessary which must be hooked up together.

### DAUGHTER BORN

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Jones of 246th street, a 12-pound daughter, Saturday, October 7.

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# SPORTS

## When Stanford Took Measure of Santa Clara



Afferbaugh (No. 18), Stanford back, returns Faglia's punt 26 yards in the Stanford-Santa Clara game, while Bill Sims takes out a Santa Clara tackler. Other men in above photo, Koepf (33), Santa Clara, and Carlton of Stanford. Stanford earned a 7-0 victory.

## Saturday's Game Will Be Home-Coming For St. Mary's, Maybe

LOS ANGELES.—When St. Mary's comes south for its battle with the University of Southern California Trojans Saturday, it will be a home-coming affair for many of the Gaels. Eight of them are from Los Angeles. Felix Pennino, end; Nebb Elduayan, guard; Robert Bench, half; Roland Willett, quarter; Noel Bonelli, quarter; William Lindsay, end, and Santa (Greta) Garbo, fullback, are all from Los Angeles, while Hugh Gerardin, guard, is from the quiet little local suburb called Hollywood.

Gerardin will probably get a home-coming present from Coach "Sli" Madigan in the form of being appointed acting captain for the Trojan game. Ford Palmer, the Trojan end, is also from Hollywood, which for once gives the movie magazines something worth bragging about.

The Trojans used to get along with about 40 or 50 plays at the height of the season. There are considerably more than 100 at the present time. One reason for the extensive repertoire is that Coach Jones is now using a complete set of plays from each formation, and defensive teams are no longer able to tell whether a play will go left or right because of the setup he developed for every type of defense that the Trojans will meet, and as a rule not more than 10 or a dozen are used in one game. The Jones offense depends on the opponents' defense, and much of his time in practice is spent in telling his quarterbacks what not to use in the face of the anticipated defensive setup.

"Cotton" Warburton's mast acted as blinders for him against Loyola, but for the Washington State game he persuaded the doctors to cut away more of it around the eyes. Consequently Cot was able to see a little better against the Cougars, as his gain-loss of 15 yards in two plays no doubt indicates. He will have to stick to the mask for some time yet, as the cartilage in his nose was well flattened out in the Whittier game and it will take the proboscis a while to grow back to his former beauty.

OUTROIES OF LION DISTURB PARADISE  
PARADISE, Calif. (U.P.)—A lion has been threatening Paradise, and the townsfolk want something done about it.

Officers here were organizing to trail the mountain lion, whose nightly caterwaulings have disturbed this small community. Its tracks have been found in neighboring fields and orchards.

STUDENTS KILL SNAKES  
FLORA, Ore. (U.P.)—High school students here declared a "war" on rattlesnakes this summer. Two hundred reptiles were slaughtered during the vacation period.

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Laswell F Adzovich  
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Score by quarters:  
Hamilton 7 0 0 0-7  
Torrance 0 0 6 0-6  
Touchdowns—O'Sullivan (Hamilton). Adzovich (Torrance). Extra point—Sanz.

Official—Referee: Phurman.

## Visalia Ruins Ball Game For the Bluebirds

Barnstormers Lose 1-0 In Final Game of Out-of-Town Series

Visalia clipped the wings of the Bluebirds Saturday night in the final game of a three-day barnstorming trip north last week. After winning from Hanford 10-4 with Chico Sabella pitching, and Porterville, 7-4, with Neva in the box, the team met a tough one in Visalia where they went 11 innings to a 1-0 defeat.

The Birds couldn't do a thing with Brown, Visalia's ace. Up to the sixth they didn't have a chance to score. After that inning the Birds managed to get men on base, but the necessary hits to bring them all the way around were lacking.

Neva gets credit for tossing the game away in the 11th, when with a man on third, two out and two strikes on the batter he uncorked a wild pitch that sailed 25 feet in the air and the runner came in. Neva is also charged with gumming up a chance to score earlier in the game when he stepped out of the box to swing at an intentional wide ball and popped a fly for an easy out. Two men were on base at the time. Neva had been passed each time he came up, and Brown was walking him for the third time to avoid the possibility of one of Louie's famous homers, but the kid figured

## "Breaks" Will Decide Tartar-Gaucha Contest

Will Friday the Thirteenth Be Jinx For Torrance or Lomita?

LOMITA.—The giant Tartars of Torrance will invade Griffin field Friday, October 13, to test their strength against the Narbonne Gauchos. The game, which is the league opener, will be a hard-fought one since Narbonne and Torrance have always been bitter rivals. Defeat by the Narbonne griders in the last six years will be the stain the Tartars will try to blot out.

The "breaks" will decide the game, according to Coach Comrada of Narbonne. The Torrance griders are heavier than in former years, especially the forward wall. Looking back into the struggles of other years, it can be seen that the Gauchos have always come out on the big end of the score. In 1929 Narbonne scored ten touchdowns to win from Torrance, 65 to 0. In 1930 the Gauchos won 43 to 0. The following year the score was 13 to 6 in Narbonne's favor, while last year's game proved the closest struggle of all, the Gauchos winning, 6 to 0.

Each year the scores against Torrance have decreased and the Tartars are wondering—will this year mark the turning point? Narbonne has the edge in practice games, having won five out of seven, while the Tartars lost two out of three played. The first game comes on Friday the 13th. Will it be a jinx for Narbonne or Torrance?

## Rodeo Rider On the Bill Friday At Park Circus

Bible Class Provides Varied Program For Big Outdoor Show

Preparations have been completed for the big Outdoor Circus to be held at the city baseball field, Friday, October 13, beginning at 7 o'clock p. m. The program will offer vaudeville from 7 to 8 p. m. Additional talent has been secured including the Armstrong Sisters of Gardena, and Lee Blanchard and his 5-year-old son, Louis Lee, full blooded Indians, who will appear in costume with native songs and dances. Lee Blanchard has appeared in many rodeos and will ride a bucking mule providing one can be secured in this locality.

From 8 to 8:45, a baseball game between two ladies' teams, Mrs. Vivian Grant and Mrs. Carl Ramsey, captains. The players will be attired in special costumes. This game promises lots of laughter.

This will be followed by a game between the men, fats and leans. Fred Freeman, captain of the fats, and Thos. Wilkes, captain of the leans. No professionals will be allowed to play, but several players of days gone by will be in the game.

There will be clowns, refreshments, hot dogs, candy and all the features of a three-ring circus without the animals. Admission ten cents, children under 12 years free.

The membership drive is now going strong. Bud Tomnebrink, captain of the "Fire Eaters" and Bud Quandt, captain of the "Rancho Boys." All men of the community are urged to attend the class which meets every Sunday morning at the Torrance Theatre at 9:30 o'clock.

## RECOMMENDS BEST



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## Joe Storti to Pitch Against Merchants Sun.

Ex-Bluebird Now Manager of San Pedro Team; Big Leaguer in Line-up

In spite of the gray, gloomy weather on Sunday a sizeable crowd turned out to see the Torrance Merchants in action under the leadership of their new manager, Tommy Bowker and Bill Evans, against the County Welfare All-Stars who beat them by a rather large score.

The Merchants were minus the services of their regular catcher, George Howe, and their third baseman, Cliff Hall. The other regulars, including the Venable boys and Conroy, over whom there was some discussion as to whether they were going to stick with Torrance, were on hand and played a good game in spite of the handicaps.

Next Sunday the Torrance boys will meet the San Pedro Merchants. Joe Storti, ex-Bluebird, is managing the San Pedro outfit and will pitch. He will also have in his line-up his brother, Lynn Storti, who has just come from a successful season with the St. Louis Browns of the American League. Lynn will be on second base to back up his little brother in the box.

Since last week, a change has been made in the personnel of the Southern League with the Johnson Cakes and Adams Goodman dropping out. Four teams will travel, the Patalone Studios, County Welfare, Weber Bread and Log Cabin Bread. The rest will play home games.

## ATHLETES PUT TO WORK IN LAUNDRY

FRESNO, Calif. (U.P.)—About this time of the year, when talk turns to subsidization of college athletes, the Fresno State College administration has a neat suggestion to offer.

The college invested \$750, appropriated last spring by the board of directors, in a giant washer, mangle, wash trays, a 30-gallon storage tank and 1500 towels.

Thirty hours weekly employment for 20 men was provided at the opening of the current semester.

## Bluebirds Name First and Second Opponents Teams

While the Torrance Bluebirds were away on their barnstorming trip last week, on which they annexed the championship of the world, by defeating two all-star teams and losing to a third by one run in 11 innings, they put in their spare time naming their choice of first and second all-opponents teams. The players are selected from all the teams the Bluebirds met this season.

Last week the Herald invited all fans to pick an all-opponents team and those of you who did so can compare your choice with this line-up.

Bluebirds first choice, Sabella, pitcher; Lower, catcher; Smith, first base; Shuhart, center field; Osborne, right field, all of Huntington Beach; McNabb, second base; Haseot, shortstop; Norton, left field, all of Anaheim; Shattuck, third base, Rialto. Second choice, Hotts, Rialto, pitcher; Lemón, Anaheim, catcher; Coats, first base, and Jerberg, third base, all of Huntington Beach; second base, and Manesa, left field, of Huntington Beach; Hill, shortstop, and Ballard, center field, of Santa Ana; Sands, right field, of Olive.

## United Ice Dealers Form NRA Ass'n.

In an effort to assure the success of the National Industrial Recovery act, a substantial majority of independent retail ice merchants have formed a trade association known as the United Ice Distributors of Los Angeles and Vicinity. The area embraced by this association includes Los Angeles proper and cities in the immediate vicinity such as Glendale, Huntington Park, Santa Monica, etc.

This association has submitted its code to the National Recovery Administration and its adoption is now awaited. Each distributor member now displaying the blue and white membership cards of this association on each side of his delivery equipment is pledged to conform with the recovery program of President Roosevelt. Each month the color of these cards shall be changed, and each distributor member who has done his part to speed recovery shall be entitled to the change of color.

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